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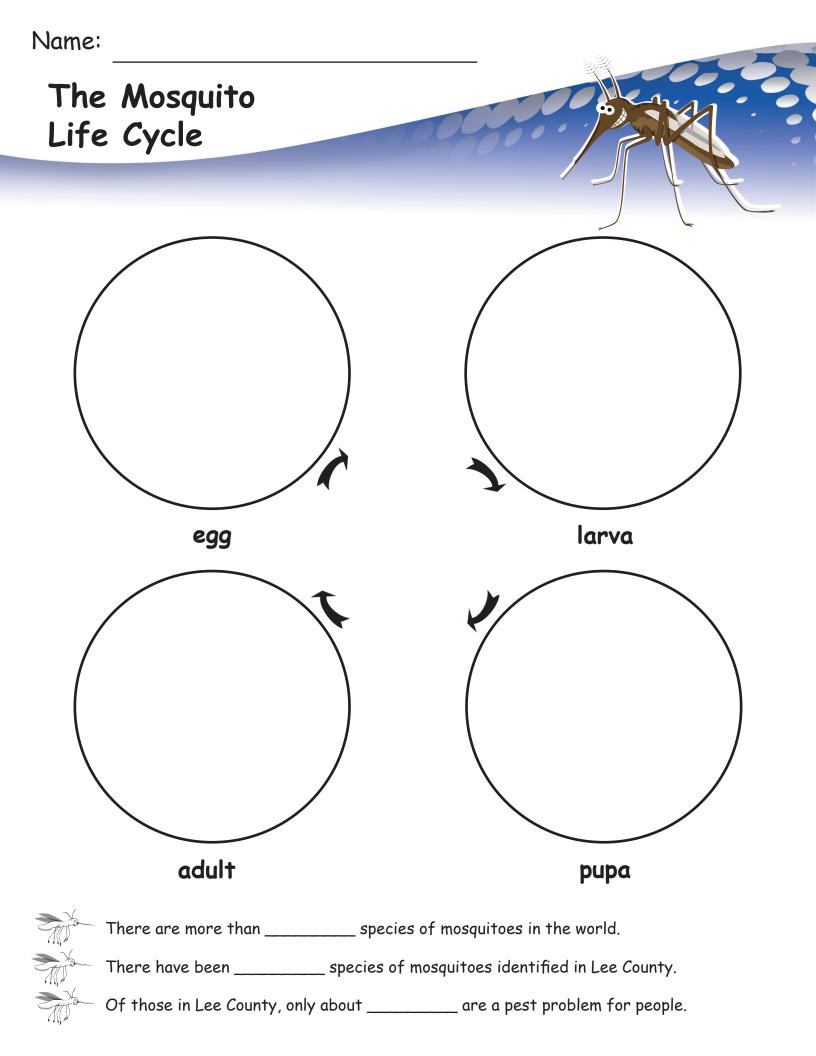
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Vocabulary

1.	abdomen	-the rear body region of an insect.
2.	adulticide	-to kill adult mosquitoes
3.	condensation	-the process in which water vapor turns to liquid
4.	entomologist	-a scientist who studies insects
5.	evaporation	-the process in which liquid water turns to water vapor
6.	exoskeleton	-the hard, outer, protective covering of insects
7.	larva	-(larvae, pl) the aquatic feeding stage of immature mosquitoes
8.	larvicide	-to kill mosquito larvae
9.	metamorphosis	-(complete/incomplete) the changes an insect goes through in its development
10.	molt	-shedding of the exoskeleton
11.	palpi	-sensory organs near the mouths on insects
12.	pesticide	-a poison used to kill pests
13.	precipitation	-any form of rain, snow or sleet that condenses and falls to earth
14.	proboscis	-the long mouthparts of some insects
15.	pupa	-(pupae, pl) the aquatic nonfeeding stage of immature mosquitoes
16.	scientific name	-the proper two word name used by scientists to refer to any plant or animal
17.	siphon	-the breathing tube of a mosquito larva
18.	species	-organisms that look alike and produce offspring that can reproduce
19.	thorax	-the middle body region of an insect where the head, abdomen, legs, and wings attach
20.	trumpets	-the breathing tubes of a pupa

Some diseases carried by mosquitoes:





Check out those Dead Skeeters

Mosquito #1

- 1. What is the scientific name of this mosquito?
- 2. How many legs should it have?
- 3. How many legs does it have?
- 4. How many wings does it have? _____
- 5. Is it a male or a female?
- 6. See if you can find the following regions or body parts Check off each after you observe it.
- O head

O thorax

- O proboscis O antenna
- 0 antenna 0 eyes
- O abdomen O eyes

How is mosquito #1 different from mosquito #2?

Mosquito # 2

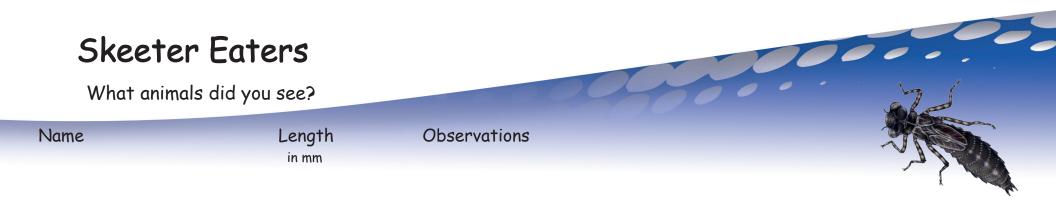
1. What is the scientific name of this mosquito?

2. How many legs should it have? ______3. How many legs does it have? ______

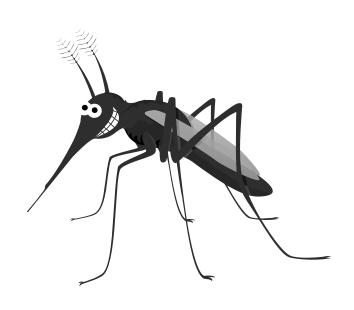
- 4. How many wings does it have?
- 5. Is it a male or a female?
- 6. See if you can find the following regions or body parts. Check off each after you observe it.
- O headO proboscisO thoraxO abdomenO eyes

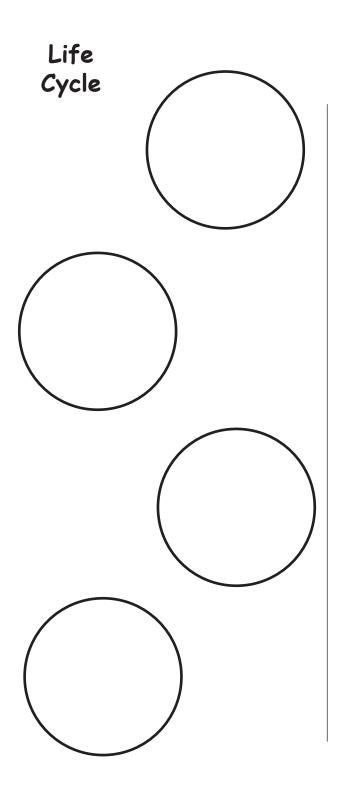






Controlling Mosquitoes





Mosquito Facts